

The problem:

Current regulations prohibit fishing for bass on the waters of Green Bay and Lake Michigan from the first Sunday in March until the first Saturday in May. These restrictions have no scientific or biological bases and reduces fishing opportunities for several months. Therefore, these closed seasons are not warranted.

Be it resolved, the Conservation Congress at its annual meeting held in Door county, on April, 10 2006, recommends that the Department of Natural Resources take action to correct this situation by introducing the following rule changes.

- Eliminate the closed season for bass on all the waters of Green Bay and Lake Michigan, currently the first Sunday in March through the first Saturday in May, and replace it with a catch and release season.

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